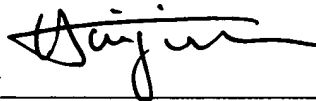


**REMARKS**

After entry of this amendment, claims 1-9 are pending. Claims have been amended without prejudice to remove the multiple dependencies and/or to better comply with U.S. practice. No new matter has been added.

Applicant believes no fee is due for entry of this amendment. However, if a fee is due, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 12810-00249-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Respectfully submitted,



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